

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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CONTINENTAL INSURANCE
COMPANY
CNA Center
333 S. Wabash
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Plaintiff

v.

ATLANTIC CASUALTY
INSURANCE COMPANY
400 Commerce Court
Goldsboro, North Carolina 27534

Defendant

Civil Action No.: *1:07 cv 03635 (DC) (MHD)*

ECF CASE DESIGNATED

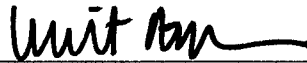
JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

PLAINTIFF'S RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 [formerly Local General Rule 1.9] and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Continental Insurance Company (a private non-governmental party) certifies that Continental Insurance Company is affiliated with CNA Financial Corporation, a publicly traded corporation and has group affiliation with the CNA Insurance Companies which include the following:

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